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Re: Inventor: Toshiya WAKU, et al.  
Serial No: 10/040,628  
Filed: January 9, 2002  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGEMENT OF VARIOUS  
WORKS IN HOSPITALS

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

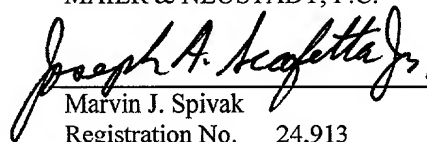
Notice to File Missing Parts, Filing of Certified English Translation, Certification of English Translation, Certified English Translation, Letter to Official Draftsman, Substitute Formal Drawings (15 sheets)

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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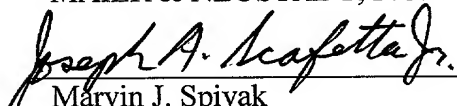
Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Form PTO-1533) dated March 13, 2002, Applicants submit herewith a certified English translation of the application, as filed, in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.52(d).

The required fee was paid at the time of filing of the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN**

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SIR:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, attached hereto please find 15 sheets of Substitute Formal Drawings. It is requested that the enclosed 15 sheets of Substitute Formal Drawings be entered to replace the drawings previously filed in this application.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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